## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of:

KONO et al.

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FUEL CARTRIDGE, FUEL CELL AND PORTABLE ELECTRICAL APPLIANCE INCLUDING FUEL CELL

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## AMENDMENT D WITH RCE

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Final Action mailed

June 24, 2009. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and a Supplemental

Information Disclosure Statement accompany this Amendment.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this Amendment.

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